



AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.  
LONDON.—F. AIREY, II, Clement's Lane,  
Lombard Street.—GEORGE STAKER, 30,  
Cornhill.—GORDON & GOTCH, 121, Hol-  
born Hill, E.C.—HATES BENDY & Co.,  
& Old Jerry, E.C.—  
AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW  
ZEALAND.—GORDON & GOTCH, Mel-  
bourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports  
generally:—WHITE & BAKER, San  
Francisco.—  
CHINA.—Searlton, DROW & Co., Amoy,  
GILES & Co., Foochow, THOMPSON &  
Co., Shanghai, H. FUGO & Co., Ma-  
nila, C. KARUTH & Co.

## ARRIVALS.

Aug. 4, Great Republic, Amer. steamer,  
3856, Doane, San Francisco and Yokohama,  
July 23 and 27, General.—P. M. S. S. Co.

## Departures.

Aug. 4, Pacific, for Whampoa,  
4, Oval Bride, for Tientsin,  
4, Mary, for Whampoa.

## PASSENGER.

ARRIVED.—Per Great Republic, J. D.  
Carpenter, W. W. Hovet, Wm. H. Dal-  
med, Capt. P. Bonnett and 160 Chinese.

## Shipping Reports.

Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company's stea-  
mer New York Captain Faunthorpe, left  
San Francisco July 3, at 4 p.m., with  
173 Passengers, 250 tons Merchandise  
freight, \$442,235.16 Treasury and the U.S.  
Mail. Most of passage across had fine  
weather and favorable winds. Arrived at  
Yokohama July 20th at 5 p.m., where she  
will remain as a spare ship. Steamer  
Great Republic, S. Doane, Esq., Commanding,  
received on board from the New York passenger  
list, 40 Chinese. Have experienced good  
weather, with strong monsoons a part of the  
time. The health of all on board is  
and has been good. Spoke the Napoleon  
Canetaro on July 23 and Hoddam Castle  
on Aug. 3.

CONSIGNERS.—Sandes & Co., Augustine  
Heard & Co., Gib, Livingston & Co., A.  
dos Remedios, Wm. M. O'Neale, Richard  
Deacon, E. R. Bamage, Siemssen & Co.,  
Thos. Hunt & Co., Laundstein & Co., Hong-  
kong Hotel, Chinese Order.

## New Advertisements.

J. W. WOOD,  
PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT,  
GENERAL AVERAGE ADJUSTER,  
SURVEYOR OF DAMAGED GOODS,  
OFFICE, CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,  
Medical Hall, Queen's Road,  
Hongkong, 25th July, 1868.

GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION.  
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell  
by Public Auction in the following  
Rooms: Queen's Road, on Friday, 10th July,  
Hongkong, June 10, 1868.

FRIDAY.

the 7th instant, at Noon,  
the following GOODS, viz:

An Invoice of Cowards' OILMAN  
STORES, including Mustard, Vinegar,  
Sauces, Lemon Syrup, Tart Fruits, Jams,  
Jellies, Candied Peel, Currants, Figs,  
Almonds, Raisins, Pearl Butter, Tapioca,  
Macaroni, Potted Meats, Blotters, Bacon,  
Cheeses, etc., etc.

GLASSWARE, including: Dishes,  
Bowls, Plates, Salt Cellars, Centres and  
Standards, Tobacco Jars, Finger Glasses,  
Bases, etc., etc.

FLOUR of best Brands constantly on  
hand supplied by the Barrel Bag, Tin or  
Pound.

CAKE of all kinds baked to order.

The above is under the Superintendence of  
Mr. JONATHAN PARSONS, and all orders  
forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or at  
Messrs. THOS. HUNT & Co.'s will receive  
prompt attention.

L. P. WARD,  
Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

MRS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY  
BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT,  
Hollywood Road, next door to the Hotel  
de Europe.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery  
in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17.  
All lots, with all faults and errors of  
description, at Purchaser's risk on the  
fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, August 4, 1868.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, MAU-  
RIKU AND LONDON.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell  
by Public Auction, on

## New Advertisements.

NOTICE.  
THE Undersigned have been appointed  
Agents at Hongkong, Canton and  
Macao for the UNION OF HAMBURG  
UNDERWRITERS, and beg to draw  
attention to \$65-08 and \$127-141 of the  
"Allgemeine See Verpflichtung Bedingung  
von 1867," according to which, all  
documents to substantiate claims against  
the Union of Hamburg Underwriters, are to be  
submitted to the Hamburg Underwriters.

GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION.  
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell  
by Public Auction in the following  
Rooms: Queen's Road, on Friday, 10th July,  
Hongkong, June 10, 1868.

## Auctions.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received in-  
structions from the Trustees of  
DENT & Co.'s Estate to sell by Public  
Auction (if not previously disposed by  
private sale) on the 5th day of September  
next, the Property situated at the corner  
of Queen's Road and Stanley Street, on a  
portion of Inland Lot No. 137, and  
known as DENT & Co.'s STABLES.

The Property has a frontage of about  
97 feet in Wellington Street 76 feet on  
Agar Street and comprises an area of  
about 7,370 square feet.

The Sale will take place on the Pre-  
mises at 3 P.M.

TERMS OF SALE.—One half of the pur-  
chase money to be paid on fall of the  
hammer and balance on completion of  
transfer. The Property to be at pur-  
chaser's risk on fall of the hammer.

For further particulars apply to

W. N. MIDDLETON,  
Anteater,  
Hongkong, July 9, 1868.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received in-  
structions from the Trustees of DENT &  
Co.'s Estate to sell by Public Auction  
(if not previously disposed by private  
sale) on an early day in November next,  
on the Grounds—

The BUILDINGS known as DENT &  
Co.'s HONGKONG PRAYA PROPERTY,  
measuring 298 feet in frontage by 175 feet  
in depth, situated on Marine Lot No. 7,  
and consisting of

One DWELLING HOUSE in the  
Eastern Wing, containing 5 Rooms on  
the 1st Floor and 8 Rooms on the 2nd  
Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out  
Offices, &c., &c., with Gas and Water laid  
on, and a Ground below capable of holding  
about 2,000 Tons.

The Centre BUILDING known as  
DENT & Co.'s Office containing 8 Rooms,  
Comptador's Quarters, Spacious Fire-  
place Treasury and Godown, capable of  
holding about 1,000 Tons.

One DWELLING-HOUSE in the  
Western Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the  
1st Floor and 6 Rooms on the 2nd Floor,  
with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices,  
&c., &c., with Gas and Water laid on, and  
a Ground below of about 2,000 Tons capacity.

Crown Rent \$917.64 per annum.  
These Buildings have only been erected  
two years and are built of Granite and  
Brick, the woodwork being Teak throughout.

The whole of this Property to be sold  
either in one or more lots to suit pur-  
chasers.

TERMS OF SALE.—One third of the pur-  
chase money to be paid on fall of the  
hammer, one third 2 months after sale,  
and the balance 4 months after sale, in  
Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17.

Transfer expenses to be borne by the  
purchasers.

For further particulars or details of  
plans, apply to

Messrs. BREMNER & LAVCOCK,  
4, Austin Friars,  
Old Broad Street,  
London, E.C.

Or, in Hongkong, to the Undersigned.  
MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.  
Hongkong, June 10, 1868.

## Auctions.

THE Undersigned have received in-  
structions from the Proprietor (who is  
of compelled to give up business on ac-  
count of ill health) to sell the Copyright  
of the "FRIEND OF CHINA," along  
with the Printing Establishment and  
Office Furniture.

Unless previously disposed of by Pri-  
vate Contract, it will be put up to Auction  
on the

18th August next,  
at their Sales Rooms, Keung Se Road,  
Shanghai. Specimens of the Type can  
be seen; and further particulars obtained  
on application to

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Shanghai,  
Aug. 10.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF  
DOLLARS.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman.—GEORGE JOHN HELLAND, Esq.  
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SOLOMON D. SASBON, Esq.

WILLIAM LEHMANN, JAS. P. DUNCAN,  
JULIUS MENKE, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT, Esq.

Managers.

Hongkong.—VICTOR KERSSE, Esq.  
Chief Manager.

Shanghai.—DAVID MAGAON, Esq.

London Bankers.—London and County  
Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate  
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Fixed Deposits.—

For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.

6 " 4 per cent. "

12 " 5 per cent. "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities,  
and every description of Banking and  
Exchange business transacted.

Debts, granted on London, and the  
chief Commercial place in Europe, India,  
Australia, & America. China and Japan.

VICTOR KERSSE,  
Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation.

No. 1, Queen's Road East.

Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

Aug. 18.

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MISSIONARY JOURNAL.

Published monthly by the Revd. S. L.  
BALDWIN, Foochow. Price, \$2 per  
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Subscriptions received, and single copies  
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J. B. MORRIS,  
At Messrs. BOWRA & Co.,  
Queens Road,  
Hongkong.

Hongkong, July 18, 1868.

Aug. 19.

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Hongkong, August 4, 1868.

Aug. 15.

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Auctioneer.

Hongkong, July 19, 1868.

Aug. 20.

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Aug. 22.

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Hongkong, August 4, 1868.

Aug. 23.

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All Letters posted between 7 and 8 A.M. on the 7th Inst. will be chargeable, in addition to the usual postage, with a Late Fee of 18 cents.

The latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 8 A.M. and for Newspapers, Books, or Patterns 7 A.M. on the 7th Inst.

Further, late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Marseilles or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 8.30 to 8.50 A.M. on payment of a late fee of 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no Letters can be received.

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All correspondence for places to which payment is compulsory must be prepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps.

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not be forwarded unpaid, will be open

ed and returned to the writers as early

as possible, but no guarantee can be

given that such Letters, if posted after

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ed until after the mail is closed.

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F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General,  
General Post Office,  
Hongkong, July 31, 1868.

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Hongkong, March 19, 1868.

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J. P. MORRIS,  
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Hongkong, March 4, 1868.

GREAT REDUCTION.

ON and after July 1st next, our Price

for CARTES DE VIS-ITÉ will be

reduced to \$3 per dozen, for Cash Only.

Small profits and quick returns—a Cheap article is not necessarily Bad.

LLOYD & Co.

Hongkong, June 22, 1868.

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Entrance—Wellington Street.

DAVID BROWNE, (late Manager of the ALBION HOTEL.)

BEGS to inform his Friends and the Public

that he has opened the above

and the comfort of visitors, to merit a share

of their patronage.

Feed Fancy Drincks of every Description.

Hongkong, April 11, 1868.

C. L. VOLKMAN,  
Private Boarding Establishment.

29, HOLLYWOOD ROAD,  
HONGKONG.

Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

PATERSON & HANDLEY,

Hous. and Ship Plumbers, Copper,

and Zinc Workers, and Gas Fitters,

16, Queen's Road West, and

Acheson's Yard, Piazza West.

Hongkong, November 4, 1867.

BROWN, JONES & Co.,

UNDERTAKERS.

MONUMENTS and HEAD-STONES

BROUGHTED, in the Best Style.

LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on

the Shortest Notice.

Apply at

Hollywood Road, Corner of Aberdeen St.

Hongkong, March 13, 1868.

## Intimations.

C H U T — S I N G ,  
SAIL MAKER,  
Endicott Lane,  
No. 49, UPSTAIRS.  
English and American Canvass of the best  
Brands constantly on Hand.  
Hongkong, July 13, 1868.

WANTED.  
TONNAGE to Swatow and Amoy for Two  
Hundred and Three Hundred Tons of  
Dead Weight to Swatow and Four Hundred  
Tons to Amoy.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, June 19, 1868.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS & OINTMENT.

HIS Medicine is universally admitted  
to be the most efficacious remedy  
known to the world. No preparation is so  
suitable to the climates of India and China  
as this fine and invigorating medicine. It  
is particularly adapted to the constitution  
of European ladies, as it is never failing in  
its effects in all diseases peculiar to females,  
while those who are attenuated by the  
debilitating effects of the above climate will  
find in this wonderful remedy a kind of  
lifesaver whereby they may insure a restora-  
tion to robust health.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT.

The science of Medicine has never before  
produced any remedy that can be compared  
to this wonderful Ointment, as it cures  
all wounds, sores, ulcers, and also the most  
incurable skin diseases peculiar to the  
climates of India and China. It is the true  
friend of the Soldier and Civilian, as it  
cures old sores can be removed by it, if  
cannot be conquered by any other treat-  
ment.

Hongkong, February 1, 1867.

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Hongkong, January 1867.

SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL,  
HONGKONG.

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The Colonial Secretary,

The Honourable W. KESWICK, Esq.,

GEO. HEAD, Esq.,

The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N.

Company, (ex officio),

W. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., Resident Sur-  
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Mr. YOUNG, House Surgeon,

W. PATERSON, Esq., Hon. Treasurer.

TERMS OF ADMISSION—

1st Class (Private Room), per day, \$3.00

2nd, " (2 Bedchambers, " " 2.00

3rd, " (3 Room, " " 1.00

These Charges are inclusive of all Medi-  
cines and Attendants, but exclusive of  
Wines or Articles not in the recognised  
Dictionary Table.

All orders for Admission to Hospital must  
be countersigned by some responsible Per-  
son or Persons resident in the Colony.

Patients are also admitted on Deposits at  
the following rates, renewable one day  
previous to the amount deposited having  
been expended:

1st Class, ..... \$60.

2nd, " ..... \$40.

3rd, " ..... \$20.

By order,

W. PATERSON,  
Treasurer.

Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

1 HE above Hotel is now open, where  
Families and Gentlemen can find un-  
derwriter accommodation.

Private Rooms for Dinner parties.

Breakfast from 9 to 10 A.M.

Tiffin, " 1 to 2 P.M.

Dinner at 7 P.M.

N.B.—The Public Bar will be open on

Saturday, the 7th instant.

CHAS. S. DUGGAN,  
Manager.

Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

HAIR DRESSING SALON.

W. P. MOORE

RETURNS his sincere thanks to the pub-  
lic in general for their generous pa-  
tronage of late, and feels quite proud that  
his humble efforts are so highly appreciated.

He is ready to serve any gentlemen who

may feel the necessity of having any toni-  
cal operations performed.

Particular attention paid to setting Ra-  
zors.

Hongkong, May 27, 1868.

"STAG HOTEL."

SITUATE IN QUEEN'S ROAD.

PERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Su-  
perior Hotel Accommodation will find  
at the above Establishment.

EDMUND R. HOLMES,  
Proprietor.

Kiling, April 2, 1868.

PORTRAITS.

MR. J. THOMSON is prepared to take

PORTRAITS, VIEWS and other

PHOTOGRAPHS—Rooms, Commercial

Bank Buildings; Queen's Road,

Hongkong, March 11, 1868.

NOTICE.

RENTS and Accounts COLLECTED with

punctuality and despatch.

And,

Distress WARRANTS for Rent IN-  
SUED and EXECUTED.

## INSURANCES

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Agents at Hongkong.—Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD &amp; Co.

NOTICE is hereby given that the half-yearly interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum will be payable to the Shareholders at the London and County Bank, Lombard Street, London, on and after the 8th July 1868.

JAS. LE GETY DANIELL,  
Secretary.  
London, June 10, 1868.

Aug 30

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

LONDON.

Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, £1,000,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates.

AUGUSTINE HEARD &amp; Co.

Hongkong, June 6, 1868.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates.

AUGUSTINE HEARD &amp; Co.

Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1838.

CAPITAL, £500,000.

Managing Agents in China.—Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD &amp; Co., Hongkong, Medical Referee.—J. IVOR MURRAY, Esq., M.D.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances.

For further particulars, forms of proposals, &amp;c., apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD &amp; Co.

Managing Agents in China.

Hongkong, June 1868.

JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant

POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Costs in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to

ARNHOLD KARBERG &amp; Co.

Agents Hongkong &amp; Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1868.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant

POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on

Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on

Costs in Matsheds, on Goods on board

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Agents Hongkong &amp; Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1868.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company at this

Port, are prepared to grant Policies against

Fire to the extent of £80,000 on Buildings,

or on Goods stored therein.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON &amp; Co.

Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company.

Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company at this

Port, are prepared to grant Policies against

Fire to the extent of £80,000 on Buildings,

or on Goods stored therein.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON &amp; Co.

Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company.

Hongkong, August 24, 1868.

NOTICE.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.

THE Undersigned after this date the following

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Flamer	British	naval hospital	—	Attached to Melville.	
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Pearl	British	sc. corvette	21	1469 John Fras Ross, Captain	
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Chin-hoi*	Chinese	gun-boat	—	Mary.
Fei-joong	Chinese	gun-boat	5	Edwards.
Spy	Chinese	Customs' Lorch	—	
Sui-tsing	Chinese	gun-boat	5	180 Stewart.
Tien-po	Chinese	gun-boat	6	Longueville.

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Kin Shan	Do.	617	Do.	H. C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Kiu Kiang*	Do.	69	Little Orphan	Acheong
Lintin	Do.	46	Poyang	Union Duck Company's Tug.
Little Orphan	Do.	379	Theelaud	H. C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Poyang	Do.	101	Prince Albert	Q. Acheong
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